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PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 06530.0170-05

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Juergen KORTENBACH) Group Art Unit: 3734
Application No.: 10/612,005) Examiner: D. Yabut
Filed: July 3, 2003)
For: FLEXIBLE ENDOSCOPIC SURGICAL) Confirmation No.: 3367
INSTRUMENT FOR INVAGINATION)
AND FUNDOPLICATION)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

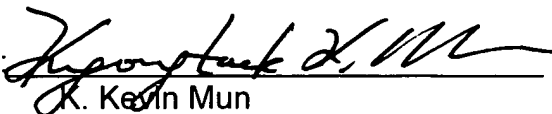
Applicant petitions for a three-month extension of time to reply to the Office
Action of October 2, 2008. A fee of \$1,050.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached
reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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